

Datenstrukturen und Algorithmen

Exercise 2

FS 2018

Program of today

- 1 Feedback of last exercise
- 2 Repetition theory
 - Induction
 - Analysis of programs
- 3 Programming Task

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Prove or disprove the following statements, where $f, g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$.

(a) $f \in \mathcal{O}(g)$ if and only if $g \in \Omega(f)$.

(e) $\log_a(n) \in \Theta(\log_b(n))$ for all constants $a, b \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{1\}$

(g) If $f_1, f_2 \in \mathcal{O}(g)$ and $f(n) := f_1(n) \cdot f_2(n)$, then $f \in \mathcal{O}(g)$.

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Sorting functions: if function f is left to function g , then $f \in \mathcal{O}(g)$.

2^{16} , $\log(n^4)$, $\log^8(n)$, \sqrt{n} , $n \log n$, $\binom{n}{3}$, $n^5 + n$, $\frac{2^n}{n^2}$, $n!$, n^n .

Sum of elements in two-dimensional array

Problems / Questions?

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 - From the validity of the statement for n (induction hypothesis) it follows the one for $n + 1$.
 - e.g.: $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i = n + 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n i = n + 1 + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{(n+2)(n+1)}{2}$.

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The code fragment implies $\Theta(n^2)$ calls to `f()`: the outer loop is executed $n/9$ times and the inner loop contains i calls to `f()`

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The second inner loop contains $\lfloor \log_2(n) \rfloor + 1$ calls to $f()$. Summing up yields $\Theta(n \log(n))$ calls.

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Induction step:

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 1 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2^i \\ &= 1 + 2^n - 1 = 2^n \end{aligned}$$

3. Programming Task

The Problem of Selection

Input

- unsorted array $A = (A_1, \dots, A_n)$ with pairwise different values
- Number $1 \leq k \leq n$.

Output $A[i]$ with $|\{j : A[j] < A[i]\}| = k - 1$

Special cases

$k = 1$: Minimum: Algorithm with n comparison operations trivial.

$k = n$: Maximum: Algorithm with n comparison operations trivial.

$k = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$: Median.

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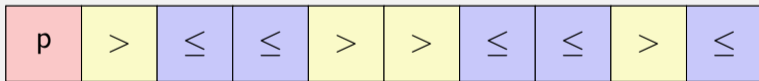
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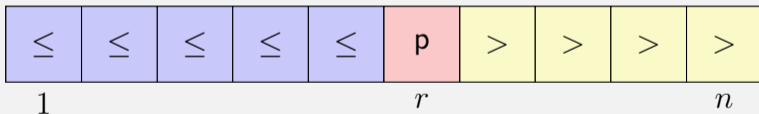
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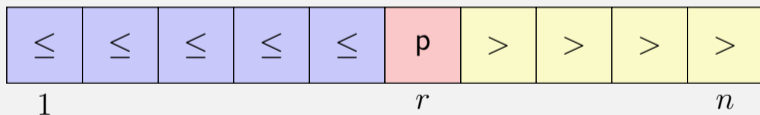
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- 3 Recursion on the relevant part. If $k = r$ then found.



Algorithmus Partition($A[l..r], p$)

Input : Array A , that contains the sentinel p in the interval $[l, r]$ at least once.

Output : Array A partitioned around p . Returns position of p .

while $l \leq r$ **do**

while $A[l] < p$ **do**

$l \leftarrow l + 1$

while $A[r] > p$ **do**

$r \leftarrow r - 1$

 swap($A[l], A[r]$)

if $A[l] = A[r]$ **then**

$l \leftarrow l + 1$

return $l - 1$

Algorithm Quickselect ($A[l..r], k$)

Input : Array A with length n . Indices $1 \leq l \leq k \leq r \leq n$, such that for all $x \in A[l..r]$: $|\{j|A[j] \leq x\}| \geq l$ and $|\{j|A[j] \leq x\}| \leq r$.

Output : Value $x \in A[l..r]$ with $|\{j|A[j] \leq x\}| \geq k$ and $|\{j|x \leq A[j]\}| \geq n - k + 1$

if $l=r$ **then**

$_$ return $A[l]$;

$x \leftarrow \text{RandomPivot}(A[l..r])$

$m \leftarrow \text{Partition}(A[l..r], x)$

if $i < m$ **then**

$_$ return QuickSelect($A[l..m - 1], k$)

else if $i > m$ **then**

$_$ return QuickSelect($A[m + 1..r], k$)

else

$_$ return $A[l]$

Algorithm RandomPivot ($A[l..r]$)

Input : Array A with length n . Indices $1 \leq l \leq i \leq r \leq n$

Output : Random “good” pivot $x \in A[l..r]$

repeat

 choose a random pivot $x \in A[l..r]$

$p \leftarrow l$

for $j = l$ **to** r **do**

if $A[j] \leq x$ **then** $p \leftarrow p + 1$

until $\lfloor \frac{3l+r}{4} \rfloor \leq p \leq \lceil \frac{l+3r}{4} \rceil$

return x

This algorithm is only of theoretical interest and delivers a good pivot in 2 expected iterations. Practically, in algorithm QuickSelect a uniformly chosen random pivot can be chosen.

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Let's get to work.